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Title: SECURE DISK DRIVE COMPRISING A  
SECURE DRIVE KEY AND A DRIVE ID  
FOR IMPLEMENTING SECURE  
COMMUNICATION OVER A PUBLIC  
NETWORK

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
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Dear Sir,

In response to an office action mailed on 01/27/05 for the above-identified patent application, please consider the following remarks: